## Huntington's Disease (HD): Caregiver Study

## Are you a caregiver for someone with Huntington's Disease?

This is an academic research study for completion of doctoral study in clinical psychology. The purpose of this study is to identify the emotional factors in caregivers of loved ones with Huntington's Disease (HD). Our findings will help medical providers and counselors better understand the emotional impact of caring for someone with HD. It is our intention to increase support for HD-caregivers, who give so much of themselves to care for the ones they love.

You may qualify for the survey if you:

- At least 18 years old
- Provide care for someone with HD
- Speak/read English fluently
- Assists with at least one activity of daily living (ADL)
  - ADLs can include (but are not limited to) driving the HD loved one to appointments, assisting with ambulation, cooking, bathing, dressing, memory skills, comforting, and reducing distress

We would like to learn from your experience in order to help other caregivers for those with HD.

- Participation is voluntary
- Participation involves completing a one-time, online, 10-15 minute survey
- You can stop the survey at any time

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To participate in the survey, please use the following link:

## https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/TN78PNZ

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